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NEWS RELEASE

Acting United States Attorney Laurie Magid and Lehigh County District Attorney Jim Martin today announced the filing of a three-count Indictment against JULIO JUAN MARTINEZ, charging him with possession with intent to distribute 50 grams or more of cocaine base ("crack"), possession of a firearm in furtherance of drug trafficking, and being a convicted felon in possession of a firearm.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	RESIDENCE	AGE
JULIO JUAN MARTINEZ	Allentown, Pennsylvania	28

If convicted defendant JULIO JUAN MARTINEZ faces a mandatory minimum of 25 years to a maximum of lifetime imprisonment, up to a \$8,500,000 fine, a mandatory minimum of 10 years supervised release to lifetime supervised release and a \$300 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Allentown Police Department and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Sherri A. Stephan.

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